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SUBJECT: VIETNAM REFUGEE LE VAN TAM (BERNARD)

REF: (A) STATE 141423 (B) STATE 133652

1. SINCE REFTEL WAS SENT, INS HAS AGREED, AS EXCEPTION TO GENERAL CRITERIA BASED UPON URGENT HUMANITARIAN CONSIDERATIONS, TO AUTHORIZE PAROLE INTO U.S. OF LE VAN TAM (ALSO KNOWN AS BROTHER BERNARD), SISTER TRAN THI THANH AND REVEREND NGUYEN PHUONG. CHRISTIAN BROTHERS CONFERENCE, LOCKPORT, ILLINOIS, IS NOW MAKING ARRANGEMENTS PROVIDE PREPAID AIR TICKETS TO LE VAN TAM AND TRAN THI THANH. CHRISTIAN BROTHERS CONFERENCE ALSO INTENDS IN NEAR FUTURE MAKE AIRLINE TICKET AVAILABLE NGUYEN PHUONG. ONCE PAROLE PROCESSING IS COMPLETED, WE ANTICIPATE THAT THESE THREE REFUGEES WILL BE ABLE PROCEED DIRECT SINGAPORE-LOCKPORT. RELIGIOUS ORDER'S SINGAPORE REPRESENTATIVE, KIELY (REF A) WILL ASSIST THESE THREE PERSONS IN MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR TRAVEL.

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2. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO INITIATE PAROLE PROCESSING AND  
SUBMIT VISAS FALCON NAMECHECK BY CABLE. KISSINGER

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